

FIG. 2

RECEIVE REQUEST FOR
PAY PAGE (URL REQUEST)
FROM USER

```

graph TD
    92[GENERATE AND DISPLAY PAY PAGE  
CUSTOMIZED TO IDENTITY OF  
USER (IF KNOWN) AND PARAMETERS  
PASSED WITH URL (IF ANY)]

```

USER INITIATES PAYMENT

[illegible]

```

graph TD
    95[ ] --> 96[GET CREDIT CARD AND BILLING INFO]
    style 95 fill:none,stroke:none
    style 96 fill:#ffff00,stroke:#000,stroke-width:2px

```

```

graph TD
    A[ ] --> B[EXECUTE TRANSACTION AND  
DISPLAY OR REDIRECT  
USER TO THANK YOU PAGE]
    style A fill:none,stroke:none
    style B fill:#ffff00,stroke:#000,stroke-width:2px
    
```

CREDIT ACCOUNT OF
REFERRING ASSOCIATE
(IF ANY) WITH COMMISSION

CREDIT ACCOUNT OF PAY PAGE OWNER WITH REMAINDER MINUS OPTIONAL SERVICE PROVIDER FEE

FIG. 3

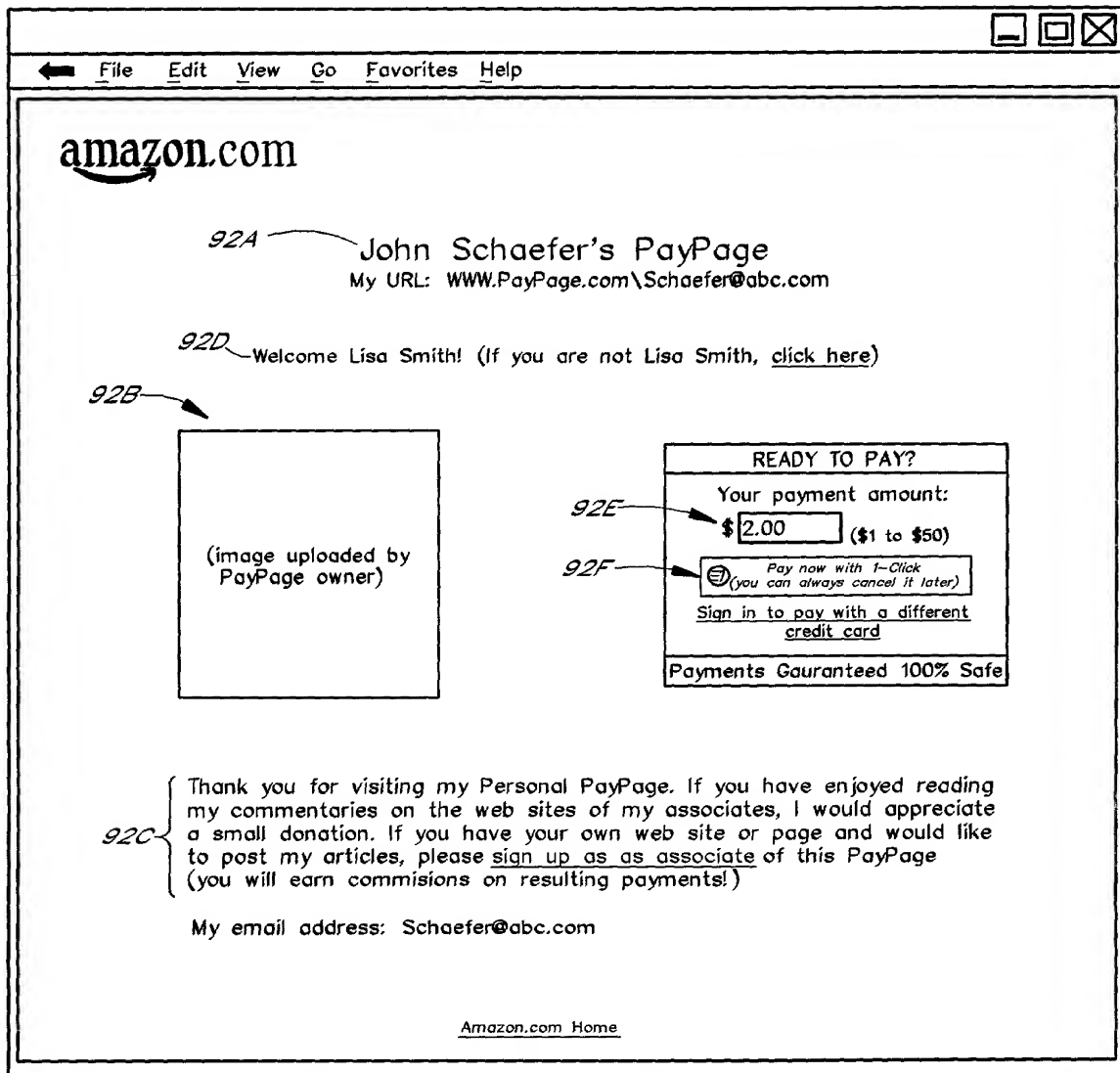


FIG. 4

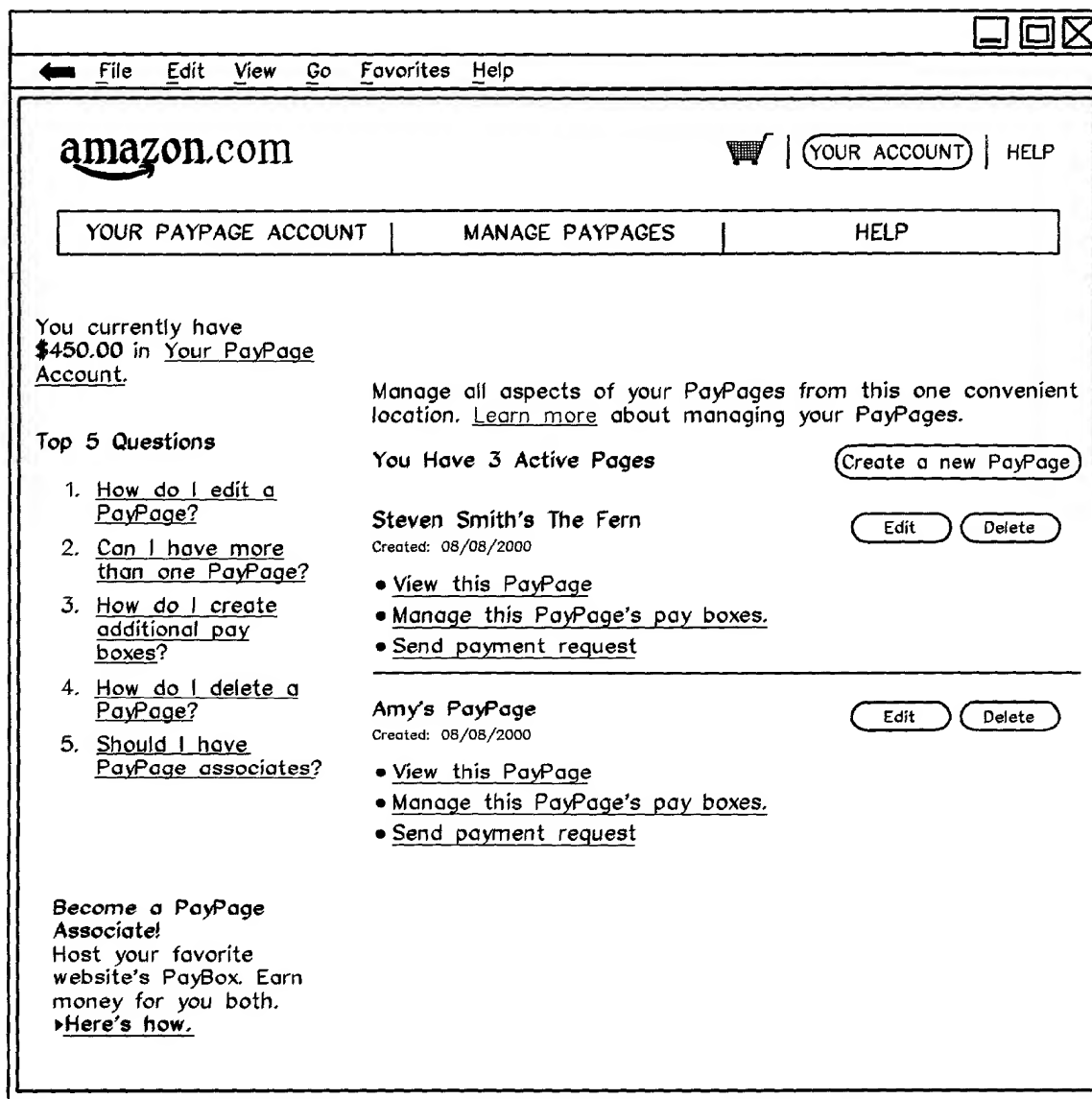


FIG. 5



Manage PayPage

step one

Customize Your PayPage

Every PayPage has several features so you can tailor the PayPage to your specific needs. Click **Edit** in each category to customize your PayPage settings. When all your settings are correct, click **Continue** to preview your PayPage. See a [sample PayPage](#).

Continue ►

1. Your Messaging (required)

Click **Edit** to make changes. [Learn more.](#)

PayPage Description: Welcome to my PayPage.
Payment is...

Thank-you Message: Thank you for visiting my
PayPage. I appreciate...

Thank-you E-mail: Again, thank you for visiting my
PayPage. I...

Edit

2. Your Title and Color Scheme (optional)

Click **Edit** to make changes. [Learn more.](#)

PayPage Title: [registrant's name]'s PayPage

Text Color:



Background Color:



Edit

3. Your PayPage's Image (optional)

Click **Edit** to make changes. [Learn more.](#)

Uploaded Image: C://mypictures/paypage.jpg

Edit

4. Your Payment Settings (optional)

Click **Edit** to make changes. [Learn more.](#)

Default Amount: \$x.xx

Minimum Amount: \$x.xx

Edit

5. Your Advanced Settings (optional)

Click **Edit** to make changes. [Learn more.](#)

Allow other Amazon.Com

Customers to become

associates for this PayPage: Yes

Your Location: Seattle

E-mail address: email@email.com

Thank-you Page URL: http://www.url.com

Edit

6. Your Payment Counter (optional)

Click **Edit** to make changes. [Learn more.](#)

Display: Number of Payments

Goal Graph: Yes

Goal Amount: \$xxxx.xx

Edit

Continue ►

FIG. 6



Manage PayPage

step two

Preview Your PayPage

Your visitors will see this PayPage after they click its paybox on your website. If you are happy with this PayPage, click **Continue** to move on to select a paybox. Click **Go back** to make changes.

◀ Go back

Continue ▶

Phowl

Hello, Griffen McDade! (if you're not Griffen McDade, [click here](#))

About Amazon Honor System

1. [The Amazon Honor System lets you support your favorite websites.](#)
2. [Paying is fast and easy; just click the Pay Now button to begin.](#)
3. [Your credit card is secure.](#)
4. [Your privacy is protected.](#)

▶ [Learn more](#)

Phowl's MP3s The Chicken Dance and Halloween 1990

Description:

Legendary jam band Phowl has amassed one of the most loyal and colorful followings in rock history. Now, Phowl followers can download the band's first official recordings....[read more](#)

You are paying: Phowl (phowl)


Details from Phowl

Phowl's MP3s The Chicken Dance 1990

Legendary jam band Phowl has amassed one of the most loyal and colorful followings in rock history. Now, Phowl followers can download the band's first official recordings—commonly known as *The Chicken Dance* and previously available only through Phowl Dry Goods—in MP3 format. Also available in MP3 is the band's 1990 concert recorded at Colorado College. You're on your honor to pay when you download. Thanks from Phowl..

Questions about this recipient or its website? Contact:
whitephowl@phowl.com

Privacy Notice: Amazon.com will never release any information about you to the recipient. [Learn more about privacy.](#)

| READY TO PAY? | |
|--|---------------|
| Your payment amount: | |
| \$ <input type="text" value="1.00"/> | (\$1 to \$50) |
|  Pay now with 1-Click (you can always cancel it later) | |
| Sign in to pay with a different credit card | |
| Payments Gauranteed 100% Safe | |

Continue ▶

FIG. 7



Manage PayPage

step three

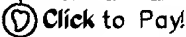
Choose a Pay Box Style

A paybox should compliment your website. Choose the paybox style you prefer and click **Continue**. You'll customize the paybox in the next step. You can always return to this page later. Go to [Manage Pay Pages](#) if you prefer not to select a paybox now.

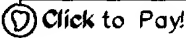
Select One

Style

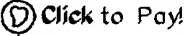
☐

Hello, Griffen.
Please pay
\$1 per MP3

amazon honor system
How do we know your name?
120 x 120

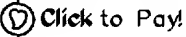
☐

Hello, Griffen.
Please pay
\$1 per MP3

amazon honor system
How do we know your name?
125 x 125


☒

Hello, Griffen McDade.
Pay \$1 for each
MP3 you download.

amazon honor system
How do we know your name?
200 x 115

☐

Hello, Griffen McDade.
Please pay \$1 for
each MP3
you download.

amazon honor system
How do we know your name?
200 x 200

☐

Hello, Griffen McDade.
Pay \$1 for each MP3 you download. 
amazon honor system How do we know your name?
486 X 60

Continue ►

FIG. 8



Manage PayPage

step four

Create a Paybox

This is the style paybox you chose for your website. When your settings are correct, click **Continue** to preview your paybox. If you'd like to choose a different paybox style, click **Go Back** to make a new selection.

◀ Go back

Continue ▶

Hello, Griffen McDade.

Pay \$1 for each
MP3 you download.

Click to Pay!

amazon honor system
How do we know your name?

200 x 115

Greeting: ▼

Amazon.com customers will be
greeted by name—for example
"Hi, Chris Jones!"

Your Message:

Use this text to encourage your maximum 15 characters
visitor to pay. [See examples.](#)

Choose a Border Color: ▼

Select from the menu:
([See examples](#) of these colors.)

Tip Amount:
(Optional)

While this amount will not appear
on your Paybox, it will appear as
the suggested amount on your
PayPage. [Learn more.](#)

Continue ▶

FIG. 9




Manage PayPage step five

Preview and Install Your Pay Box

Here is a preview of the pay box you created. Now, you can either:

1. click **Edit** to make corrections;
2. follow the instructions to install the pay box on your website in the **Install the Pay Box** section below; or,
3. click **Continue** to save this pay box and return here later for installation instructions.

Preview of your pay box

| |
|---|
| Hi, Griffen McDade. Support Phow!! Pay \$1 for each MP3 you download.  amazon honor system <small>How do we know your name?</small> |
|---|

Edit

Continue ►

Install the pay box

Please follow the directions below to install the pay box on your website. If you want more detail than the directions below provide, click the more detailed instructions link near the bottom of this page. Please click **Continue** when you are finished.

Here's the HTML code for your pay box:

```
<img src =  
"http://www.amazon.com/exec/varzea/tipbox/A1X0XFS37WTV0F/TMLPQ4D5H3GYZ/Z01Y2455306Y5123188  
.gif" usemap="#tipmap">  
  <map name="tipmap">  
    <area coords="40, 100, 160, 160" href="http://www.amazon.com/exec/varzea/payP2K22M0VKTMBO?  
amount=1.00">  
    <area coords="23, 183, 178, 195" href="http://www.amazon.com/exec/varzea/subst/financial-exchange  
/help/pay-box-placement.html">  
  </map>
```

Directions

- Highlight and copy the HTML code in the box above.
- Paste the copied HTML code into the appropriate place in your web page's HTML code. Your identifying information is already imbedded in the HTML.
- You don't need to copy any graphic because the HTML code already specifies the graphic you want.

Continue ►

amazon.com



YOUR ACCOUNT

HELP

YOUR PAYPAGE ACCOUNT

MANAGE PAYPAGES

HELP

[Manage PayPages](#) > **Manage Pay Boxes**

The pay boxes you created for this PayPage are shown below. Click to **Edit** or **Delete** any of the pay boxes or to **Add a New Pay Box**.

You have 3 active Pay Boxes

[Create a new Paybox](#)

Hello, Griffen McDade.

Support Phow!! Pay \$1 for each
MP3 you download.

Click to Pay!

amazon honor system
[How do we know your name?](#)

[Edit](#)

[Delete](#)

► [Preview and add this link to a website.](#)

Hello, Griffen.

Please pay
\$1 per MP3

Click to Pay!

amazon honor system
[How do we know your name?](#)

[Edit](#)

[Delete](#)

► [Preview and add this link to a website.](#)

Hello, Griffen McDade.

Support Phow!! Pay \$1 for each MP3 you download. Click to Pay!

amazon honor system

[How do we know your name?](#)

[Edit](#)

[Delete](#)

► [Preview and add this link to a website.](#)

FIG. 11

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YOUR ACCOUNT

HELP

YOUR
ACCOUNT

SEND
MONEY

REQUEST
MONEY

ASSOCIATES
CENTRAL

HELP

Create Your PayPage

Continue

Page or Event Title:

Your Name:

Organization Name:

Suggested Amount:
(optional)

\$

Describe Your
Organization:

Limit 4,000 characters
(spaces count). Feel free to
use basic HTML in your
description.

Add Your Logo: (optional)

Image tips

Click "browse" to locate your
.jpg or .gif image file on
your computer. (20K limit)

Your E-mail Response:

This is what your patron will
receive as a "thank you"
from your organization.

Charities Enter Exempt
Organization Number:

What is this?

Allow Syndication:

☐ 00.0% ☐ 02.5% ☐ 05.0% ☐ 10.0% ☐ 15.0%

What is this?

Your Organization's URL:

Why we need this.

Continue

FIG. 12

amazon.com



YOUR ACCOUNT

HELP

SEARCH

Search for PayPages to Associate with. Fill in Name or Description and click Go!

Name or Description:

Animal Society



City: (optional)

State: (optional)

Associates How-To

Here's everything you'll need to become an Associate in three easy steps.

Step One: Find a PayPage

Use the Search box to the left to find PayPages to become an Associate. Search by name (example: Humane Society) or description (example: animal welfare) and optionally limit your search to a city or state. Choose a PayPage from the search results list.

Step Two: Install a Paybox on Your Website

The PayPage you're hosting offers one or more links. Choose the one that best suits your website. Based on your choice, we'll give you a few lines of HTML code (which includes the image link) to cut and paste into your site. [Unsure how?](#)

Top Questions

1. [Who can I be an Associate of?](#)
2. [What is a Paybox?](#)
3. [How much do I earn?](#)
4. [How do I get my money?](#)
5. [How can I market a Paybox?](#)

Step Three: Make Money.

Every time a visitor to your website clicks on a hosted paybox and makes a payment, you earn a commission. [Learn more.](#)

FIG. 13



SEARCH

Search for PayPages to Associate with. Fill in Name or Description and click Go!

Name or Description:

Animal Society

City: (optional)

State: (optional)

There are 4 results for Animal Society

These people or organizations have PayPages matching your search query. Click a PayPage link to see the page as your website's visitors will see it when they click to pay. Click a paybox link to see the corresponding payboxes and choose which to install on your website.

1. The Animal Society in Pittsburgh, PA

The Pittsburgh Animal Society uses your donations to shelter hundreds of...

[PayPage](#) | [Payboxes](#)

2. The Animal Society in Seattle, WA

Your donations are used to feed and shelter hundreds of animals in the Seattle...

[PayPage](#) | [Payboxes](#)

3. The Animal Society in Los Angeles, CA

Your donations are used to feed and shelter hundreds of animals in the LA...

[PayPage](#) | No payboxes available at this time.

4. The Animal Society in Hingham, MA

Your donations are used to feed and shelter hundreds of animals in the Hingham...

[PayPage](#) | [Payboxes](#)

FIG. 14



Available PayPage Links for The Animal Society in Seattle WA

The PayPage you've chosen offers these payboxes for display on your website. Select the one you want and click **Continue**. We'll walk you through the copy-and-paste installation process.


Select One

Style

☐

Hello, Griffen.

Donate \$2 to the
Seattle Animal Society

 Click to Pay!

amazon honor system
How do we know your name?

120 x 120

☐

Hello, Griffen.

Donate \$2 to the
Seattle Animal Society

 Click to Pay!


amazon honor system
How do we know your name?

125 x 125

☒

Hello, Griffen McDade.

Donate \$2 to the
Seattle Animal Society

 Click to Pay!


amazon honor system
How do we know your name?

200 x 115

☐

Hello, Griffen McDade.

Donate \$2 to the
Seattle Animal Society

 Click to Pay!


amazon honor system
How do we know your name?

200 x 200

☐

Hello, Griffen McDade.

Donate \$2 to the Seattle Animal Society

 Click to Pay!

amazon honor system How do we know your name?

486 X 60

Continue ►

FIG. 15

amazon.com

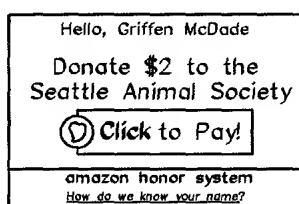


YOUR ACCOUNT

HELP

Associates > Install a Paybox on your Website

Here's the paybox you've chosen to install on your website:



Here's the paybox's HTML code:

```
<img src =  
"http://www.amazon.com/exec/varzea/tipbox/A1X0XFS37WTVOF/TMLPQ4D5H3GYZ/Z01Y2455306Y5123188.gif"  
usemap="#tipmap">  
  <map name="tipmap">  
    <area coords="40, 100, 160, 160" href="http://www.amazon.com/exec/varzea/pay/P2K22MOVKTMBOP  
/associd">  
    <area coords="23, 183, 178, 195" href="http://www.amazon.com/exec/varzea/subst/financial-exchange  
/help/pay-box-placement.html">  
  </map>  
-- jonathan
```

Directions

- Highlight and copy everything in the shaded area.
- Your Identification is already imbedded in the HTML.
- You don't need to copy any graphics because the HTML code already specifies the graphic you want.
- Would you like more detailed instructions? [Click here](#)

FIG. 16



Send Payment Request

Enter the names and email address(es) of one or more payment request recipients (select from your address book):

| Name | Email |
|----------------------|----------------------|
| <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> |
| <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> |
| <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> |
| ⋮ | ⋮ |
| <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> |

Enter optional description
(Note: This will override the
description in your PayPage)

Enter optional payment amount.
(Note: This will override any suggested
payment amount in your PayPage)

\$

Make this payment request automatic or recurring

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FIG. 17

To: Erin Indianer
From: Renee Indianer
Re: Payment Request

Dear Erin,

Renee Indianer has sent you a payment request. Please [click here](#) to review the request.

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FIG. 18

amazon.com

Renee Indianer's PayPage

My URL: www.PayPages.com/Renee@ABC.com

Welcome back Erin Indianer! ([click here](#) if you're not Erin Indianer)

(photo)

Dear Erin Indianer:

Please contribute at least \$10 for Beth's birthday present.
We will give her an anonymous check at her party on
Friday. Thanks!

READY TO PAY?

Your payment amount:

\$ (\$1 to \$50)

FIG. 19

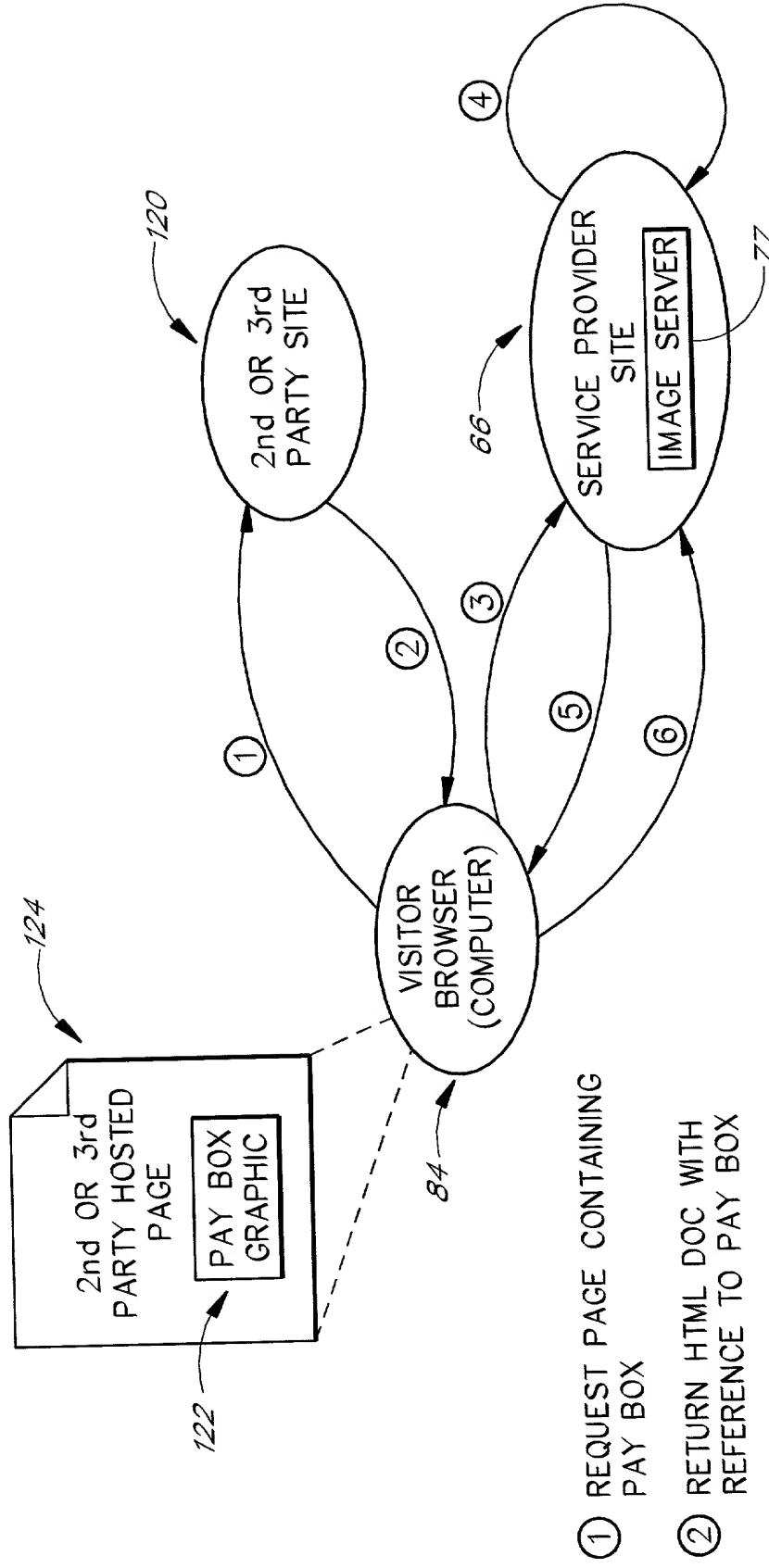


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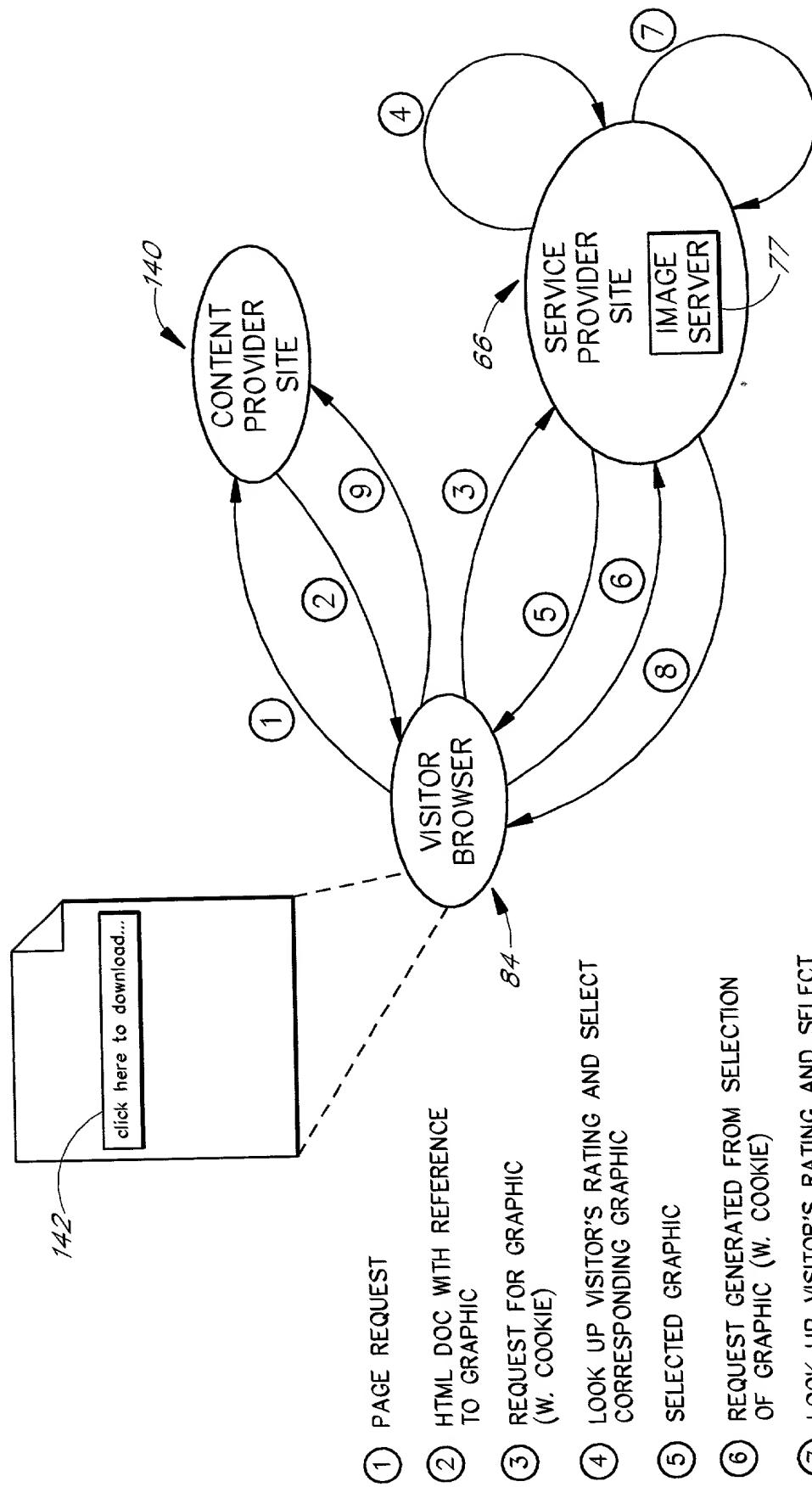
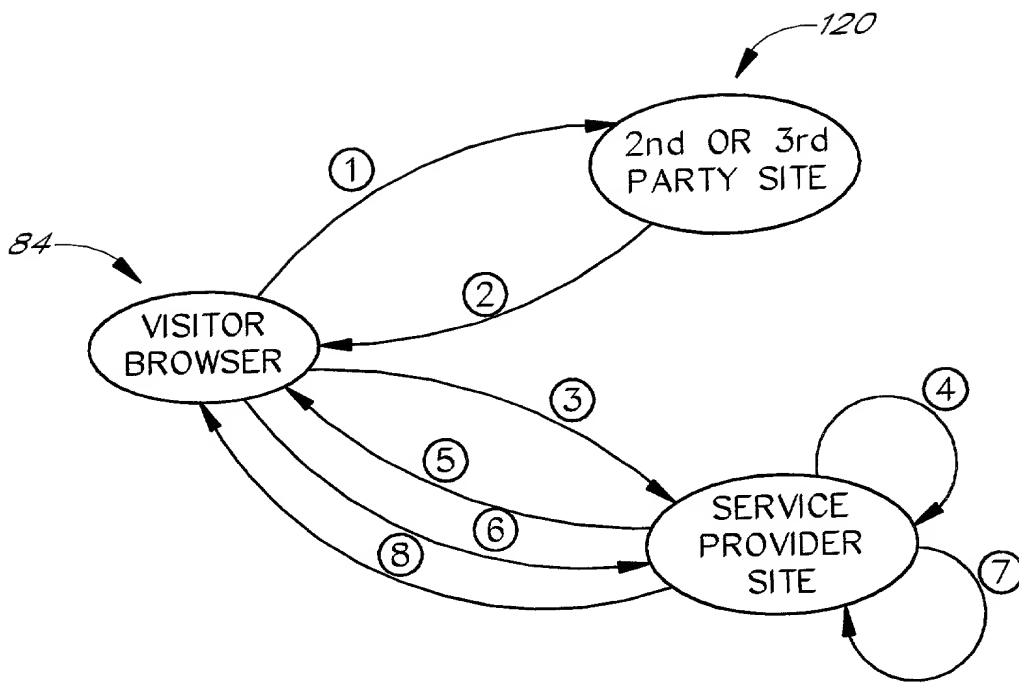


FIG. 21



- ① PAGE REQUEST
- ② HTML DOC. WITH REFERENCE TO PAY BOX GRAPHIC
- ③ PAY BOX GRAPHIC REQUEST PLUS COOKIE
- ④ GENERATE 1-CLICK VERSION OF PAY BOX GRAPHIC
- ⑤ 1-CLICK PAY BOX GRAPHIC
- ⑥ REQUEST GENERATED FROM SELECTION OF GRAPHIC (PLUS COOKIE)
- ⑦ EXECUTE TRANSACTION USING 1-CLICK SETTINGS
- ⑧ REDIRECT BROWSER DIRECTLY TO "THANK YOU" URL

FIG. 22

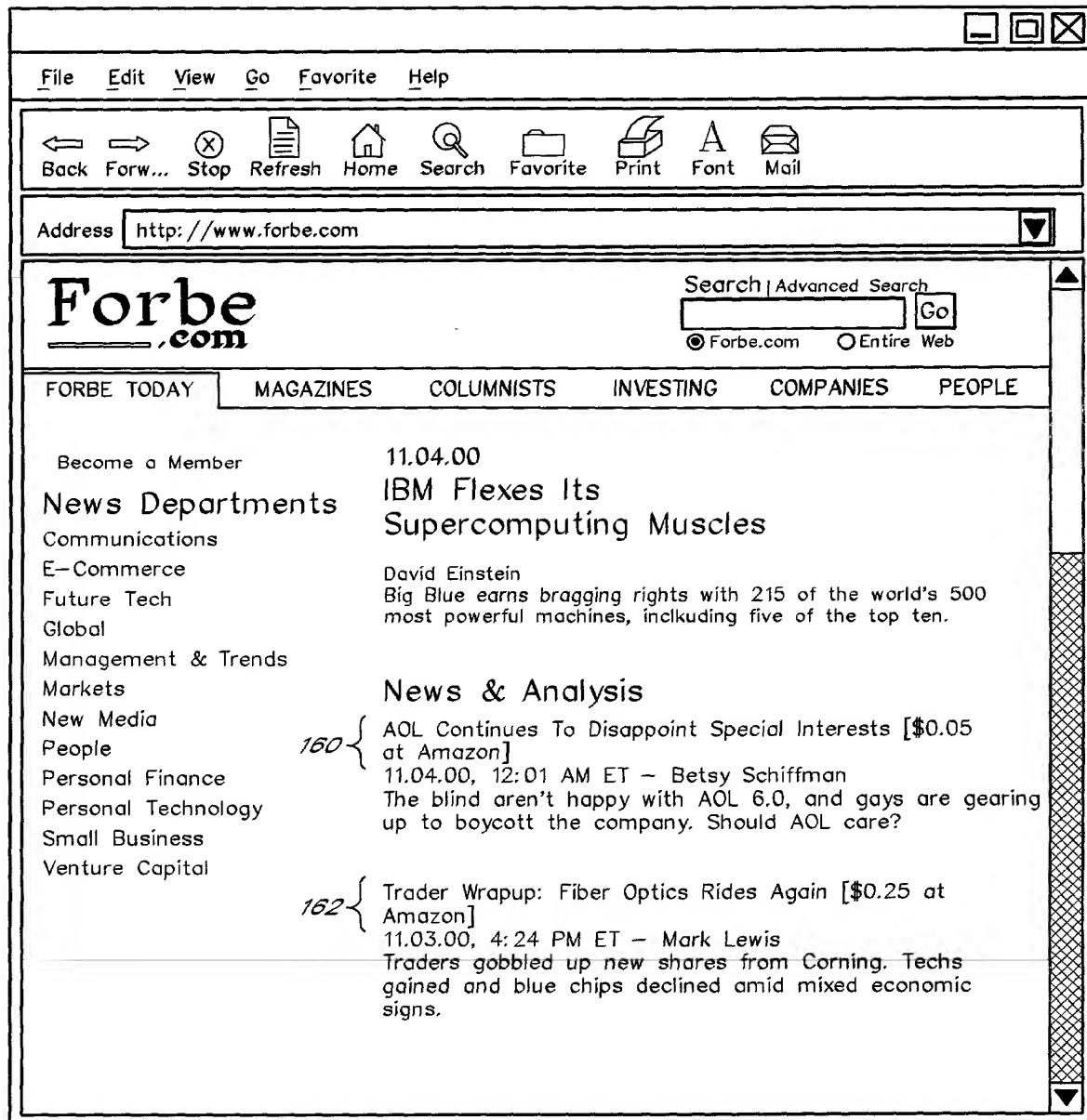


FIG. 23

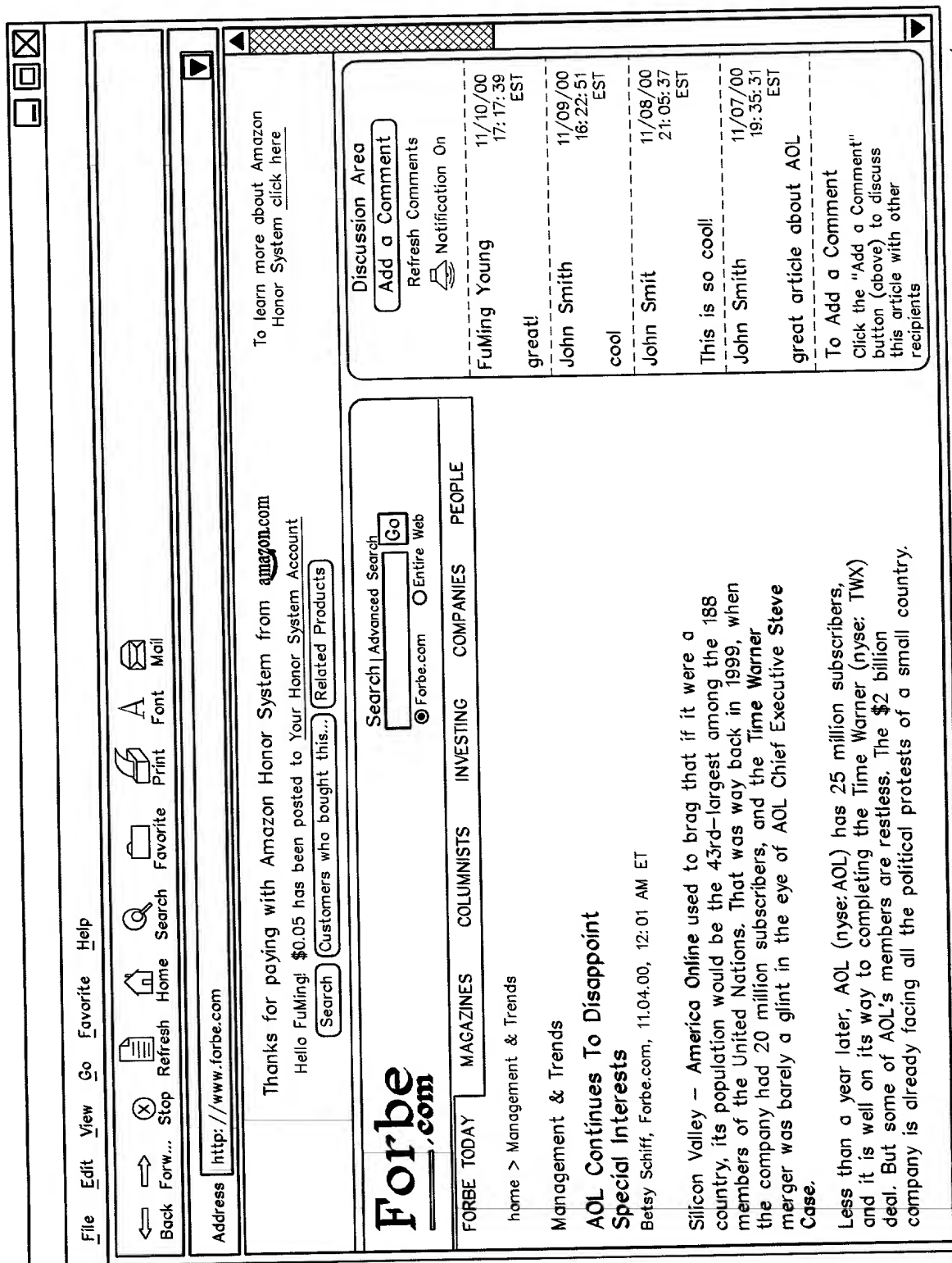


FIG. 24

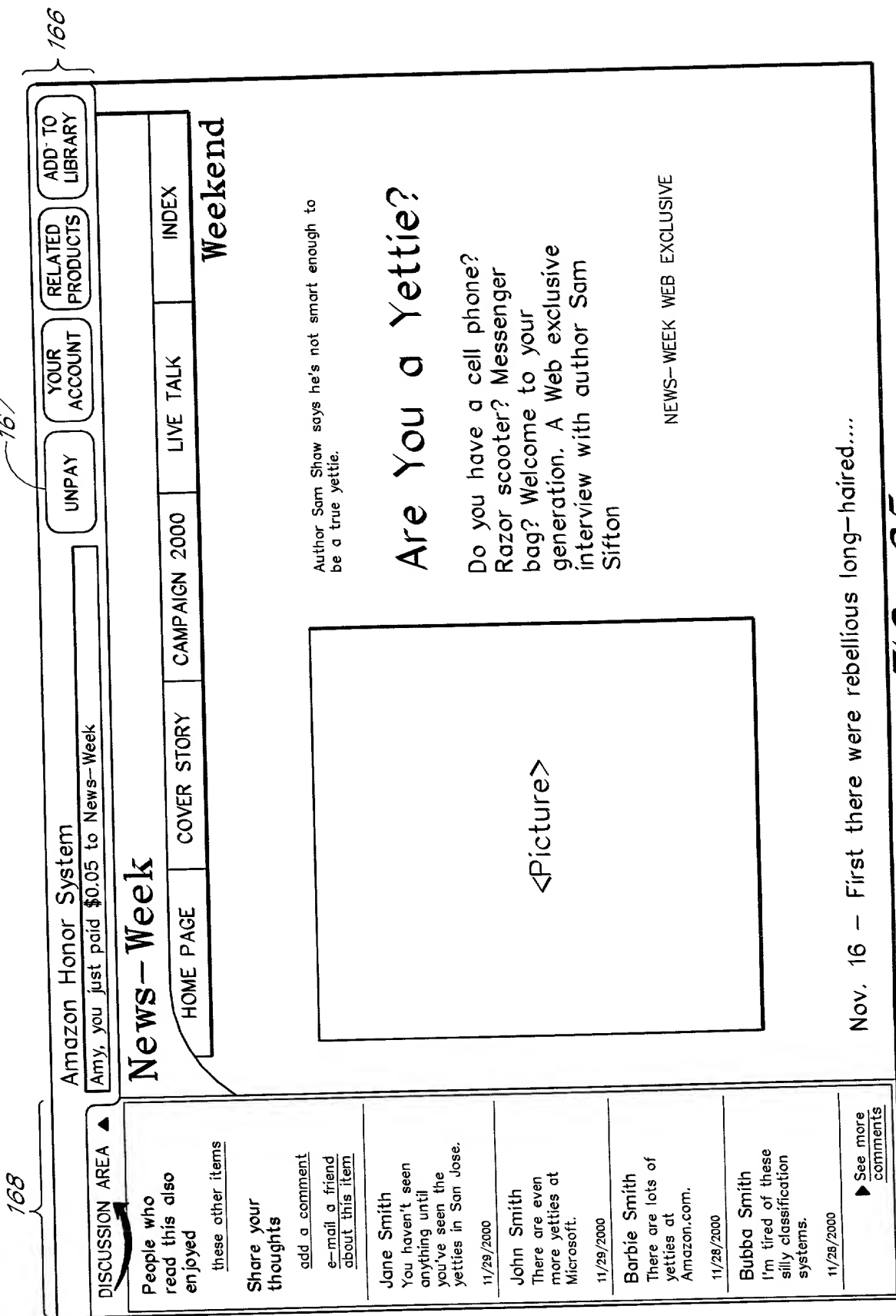


FIG. 25

Amazon.com Honor System > Creating PayLinks

Creating PayLinks

Easily and seamlessly accept online payments for your digital content on your own site. You determine the amount and can choose from other value-added features such as the Customer Review module.

1. Add a little code around the link to your premium content

For example, if you have the following link to an article you'd like to charge 5 cents for on your web page....

```
<A HREF="http://www.your-  
site.com/premium_story.htm">  
Headline of Your Article</A>
```

...All you have to do is add the following code (in italics below) and specify the amount you'd like to charge and the unique id we assign to you (so we know where to send the money)...

```
<A HREF="http://cogniquest.com/test/wwc/grab.cgi?  
cp=fuming&amt=.25&url=  
http://www.your-site.com/premium_story.htm">  
Headline of Your Article</A>
```

2. Add value-added features like Customer Reviews

By just adding another parameter (in italics) to your link, you can add a Customer Review module to your content.

```
<A  
HREF="http://cogniquest.com/test/wwc/grab.cgi?  
cp=fuming&amt=.25&reviews=yes&url=  
http://www.your-site.com/premium_story.htm">  
Headline of Your Article</A>
```

<graphic showing
placement of
review module
on example
page>

You can insert the PayLink code yourself or by using our PayLink Creation Tool.

Use the Back button on your browser to return to the Amazon.com Honor System homepage.

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amazon.com

PayLink Creation Tool

Choose the options for your PayLink below. Click **Continue** when you are finished.

Continue ▶

A. Basic Link Data (required)

Your Nickname:

Content Location (URL):

Content Title:

Amount:

(\$0.99 Maximum)

B. Special Features (optional)

Customer Reviews: ☒ No ☐ Yes
(What is this?)

Accept Honor Club Subscriptions: ☒ No ☐ Yes
(What is this?)

Continue ▶

FIG. 27



Your PayLink

Your PayLink has been created. Adding it to your site is easy. Just copy the HTML code below and paste it on to your web page.

Directions

- Choose what type of link you would like: text or image.
- Copy everything from the box associated with the link type you choose.
- Paste it into the appropriate place in your HTML. Your tracking ID (fuming) is already embedded in the HTML

Option A: Text PayLink

Text Link Preview

Premium Story [\$05 at Amazon]

Test your link by clicking the title above.

Text Link HTML

```
<A HREF="http://cogniquet.com/test/wwc/grab.cgi?cp=fuming&amt=.05&url=http://www.contentprovider.com/story1.html">Premium Story</A>
```

FIG. 28